

RESOLUTION

OF THE

LEGISLATURE OF ILLINOIS,

IN RELATION TO

The establishment of a marine hospital at Rock island.

FEBRUARY 5, 1849.

Referred to the Committee on Commerce, and ordered to be printed.

Resolved by the House of Representatives, (the Senate concurring herein,) That our senators in Congress be instructed, and our representatives requested, to use all honorable exertions to procure the passage of an act to direct the Secretary of War to select a suitable tract of land upon the island of Rock Island, in the State of Illinois, for the site of the necessary buildings for a marine hospital, with the necessary appurtenant grounds, and directing the sale of the remainder of the lands upon said island in small quantities at public sale. The proceeds of said sale to be appropriated to the establishment and support of said marine hospital; and that the governor be requested to forward a copy of this resolution to our senators and representatives in Congress.

Z. CASEY,

Speaker of the House of Representatives.

WILLIAM McMURTRY,

Speaker of the Senate.

EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT, ILLINOIS,
Springfield, January 22, 1849.

SIR: In compliance with a resolution of the General Assembly of this State, I have the honor to transmit to you the accompanying resolution.

With much respect, yours, &c.,

AUG. C. FRENCH.

Hon. S. A. DOUGLAS,
United States Senate.

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